



Havre Job Service Employers' Committee
Regular Meeting
August 8, 2007

Members Present:

Mike Hamilton
Wendy Lynn Gerky
Dolores Plumage
Joe LaPlante
Darrel Hannum
Sylvia Murray
Cathy Jamruszka
Garnet Bergren

Job Service Staff Present:

Carol Lamey, Manager
Kandi Burrington, JSEC Coordinator
Barry Remus, Business Advisor

Members Absent:

Carol Jestrab
Mona Ojeda
Kellie Rasmussen
Joe Schmier
Gail Rainey

What's New at Job Service? 1) Carol Lamey is the new Manager of the Havre office. 2) We received funding under the WIRED grant, dealing with bio fuels. Brenda Evans will change duties to work under this grant 3) Everyone in the office is now the same pay grade and has new assignments and duties. 4) We hired Donna Pike as a temporary worker for up to one year. She brings 17 years experience from OPA. 5) There are now three Business Advisors in our office: Barry Remus, Kandi Burrington and Mavis Filler. We also now have three Case Managers. 6) We are pushing job seekers to rely more on self-service for referrals to jobs. 7) JSEC will stay a viable part of Job Service. 8) Our focus is on more marketability of job seekers/employees. 9) Carol read a thank you card from Pam for the flowers from JSEC. 10) Marla Hagen, our Regional Manager, will attend the next JSEC meeting.

Treasurer's Report: \$1732.22

Sub Committee Reports:

Seminar – Barry gave handout on the seminar with Jim Nys on “Winning the War on Talent” and “Ten Steps to Hiring Success. *Handout enclosed.*

Outreach – Cathy Jamruszka is still working on promotion of JSEC website.

JSEC Employer Resource Guide: The August statistics for the www.havrejsec.com website were passed out. *Stats enclosed.*

5 in 1 Posters:

New mandatory posters are at Havre Job Service. The new posters reflect the new Federal Minimum Wage. They do not list the Montana Minimum Wage as Montana does not require this to be posted.

THE NEXT MEETING WILL BE *WEDNESDAY September 12*, 2007 AT 11:30AM AT JOB SERVICE.